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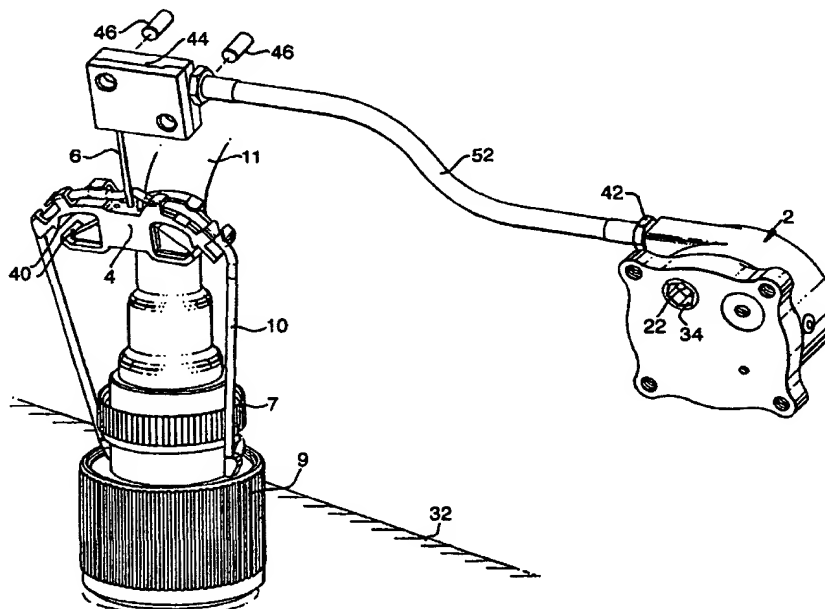
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(57) Abstract

A snatch connector (7, 9) is provided with a disconnection lanyard assembly (2, 4, 6, 10, 44, 52) comprising a tensioner assembly including a spreader bar (4), cables (6, 10) and a cable reel (2). The reel (2) may be set to allow paying out of the cable (6) or to pull in the cable (6) and when set to pull in, will resist paying out of the cable (6), thereby providing a tensile force for snatch disconnection.